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**Ravalli County Commissioners**

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Wendi B. Loup  
Assistant General Counsel  
Lamar Advertising Company  
5551 Corporate Boulevard  
Baton Rouge, LA 70808

RE: Lamar Advertising Signs at 93 South at Gravel Pits

Dear Ms. Loup:

I am in receipt of your June 29, 2007 letter regarding the above-referenced matter. You note that the county has given no opposition to Lamar's plan to move the signs outside of the right-of-way line. I do not believe that is correct. I believe the county has been consistent and clear that any time a sign moves from its current location it must comply with the Ravalli County Sign Ordinance. It is my understanding that the signs in question will not comply with the sign ordinance in their proposed new locations. Therefore, I must advise you not to begin construction of any signs. Your easement is between your company and the landowner and has no bearing on our sign ordinance.

If you desire to do so, please contact the Board of County Commissioners to arrange for a variance hearing so that you may comply with the Ordinance. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at the number above.

Sincerely,

Alex Beal  
Deputy

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cc: Ravalli County Commissioners